SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 631

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE MCCOMB HIGH SCHOOL "TIGERS" BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM AND COACH HILTON HARRELL FOR CAPTURING BACK-TO-BACK 4A STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

WHEREAS, for McComb, this is a sign of bigger things to come. On March 14, 2015, the two top-ranked boys programs in the Mississippi High School Activities Association (MHSAA) Class 4A faced-off for a State Championship. For a second straight year, the Tigers took home a title after defeating Quitman 52-40 at the Mississippi Coliseum; and

WHEREAS, it is the third Championship in program history for the Tigers, whose first title came in 1962 (52 years); and

WHEREAS, McComb (31-1) was relentless from the get-go, eager to showcase its ability to defend and force Quitman outside its comfort zone. McComb held Quitman to three points in the first quarter. By halftime, Quitman's offense scored eight points in the second guarter as the Tigers still led 21-12; and

WHEREAS, Coach Harrell prides his team on being "well-conditioned to go 94 feet for 32 minutes." It was evident

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WHEREAS, McComb Head Basketball Coach Hilton Harrell hoisted the Mississippi Class 4A Basketball Championship Trophy after the Tigers defeated the Quitman Panthers. This marked the third year in a row the Tigers competed in the State Tournament, and it was the second Championship win in Coach Harrell's 21 years at McComb High School; and

WHEREAS, the McComb High School Boys Basketball Team
Championship Roster is: Tredarius Lee, Antonio Cowart,
Zarkeichious Martin, Michael Martin, Tyre Robinson, Emanuel
Thompson, Carlos Porter, Jeremiah Gardner, James Williams,
Zantavius Green, Quadarius Green, Tredarius Pittman and Kadarron
Mason; and Coach Hilton Harrell; and

WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we recognize a dream season by a group of student athletes who have brought honor to their school, their community and to the State of Mississippi:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That we do hereby commend and congratulate the McComb High School "Tigers" Boys Basketball Team and Coach Hilton Harrell for capturing back-to-back first Class 4A State Championships, and extend our best wishes to the team, coaches and parents for future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to Coach Harrell for the team, McComb Principal Robert Lamkin, forwarded to the McComb School District Board of Trustees, and made available to the Capitol Press Corps.

ADOPTED BY THE SENATE

March 24, 2015

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 27,

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES